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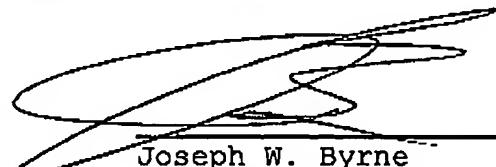
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**TRANSMITTAL OF AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AND  
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

The following items are attached:

In response to the Office Action of December 15, 2004 in the above-identified patent application, enclosed herewith is an Amendment and Response.

A Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) requesting a three month extension for filing the Amendment and Response. If additional extensions of time are required, consider this a petition therefor.

*Transmittal of Amendment and Response  
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fees to deposit account no. 02-2850. The required fees include \$510.00 for the petition fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(3) and the additional claim fees, if any, as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b) and (c) which result from the enclosed Amendment and Response and which are calculated as follows:

	Claims Pending After Amendment	Claims for Which Fees Previously Paid	Extra Claims	Claim Fees	TOTAL
Total Claims	39 -	20 =	19 X	\$25 =	= \$475
Independent Claims	4 -	3 =	1 X	\$100 =	= \$100
<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEES</b>					<b>\$575.00</b>

Finally, the Commissioner is also hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment in any required fees to deposit account no. 02-2850. For the purpose of charging fees to the deposit account, a duplicate of this transmittal letter is attached.

Respectfully submitted,



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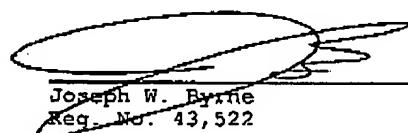
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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action of December 15, 2004, the period for response of which is hereby extended by three months. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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